

# GOLD RUSH!

# **EXTRAORDINARY INDUCEMENTS!!!**

Six-Hundred and Eighty Exuberant Bikers on Route to Historic Clayville

The 42nd annual Capital City Century is coming up on September 7!

Ride! Ride! Join us for this Stupendous Event!

**FEEL THE EXCITEMENT** So many routes to the CCC Motherload! 10 miles, 25, 40, 60 and the Namesake 100 Miler! **For the Stoutest of the Strong** - our own Chilkoot Pass - the <u>Double Metric Century Challenge!</u> including the *nearly impossible* mountainous loop out of New Salem. 125 miles of gut wrenching glory! Not for the feint of heart! **Turn the Page, there's More Information Inside!** 

**GET THERE SUNDAY MORNING** Disembark at the KC (Klondike Century?) on Meadowbrook!

**JOIN THE VOLUNTEERS** Contact Cathy Popovitch at cthomasrun33@yahoo.com or (309) 533-3309 to lend a hand before or after the CCC, and there's plenty, PLENTY! of Friday and Saturday work if you are riding Sunday!

**FEED THE HUNGRY** Please consider contributing some baked goods for the food stops.

Drop the vittles off just before the CCC - or in advance - Friday night from 8 to 11 p.m., or Saturday morning from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at at Stephan Paca and Kristina Mucinskas' house.

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**GET YOURS** Get your Hands on an incredibly cool, Jeff Williams designed, CCC 2014 T-Shirt! Eat Free Food! Earn your Stripes! Sleep better! Share the day with biking enthusiasts! Don't miss out! Be part of the Great Bike Rush of '14!

# **Secretary's Report**

by Alan Whitaker, Secretary

#### **New Members**

Richard Chaput Bradly Donahue Stanban and Paula V

Stephan and Paula Kaplan Richard Love

Mike Poulter Terry Reutell Vincent Skaggs

# New Members at Contributing Level

Patricia Boyce Keith and Dana Klockenga & Family

#### Renewals

Kenneth W. Connell Bob Dettling Candice German Daniel Griffin Michael Higgins Jack & Tracey Hurley

Jordan Litvak

Don & Jeanne Mallette

Kathy Seketa
Louie Spinner
Ben & Vicki Stone
Mary Thomas
Shirene Thomas
John E. Williams
Charles Witsman
Cathy Yeaman
Karol Young

# Renewals at Contributing Level

Deb Cooper Susan Hack Kim Hayden & Family Lyn Schollett & Cindy Tubbs

#### Renewals at Sustaining Level

Mark & Barbara Rabin

Thanks to all for your support of the SBC and bicycling!!

### **Incentive Report**

by Stephen Paca, Incentive Chair

**RIDE OF THE MONTH:** Mike Eymann's Bloomington trails ride was voted Ride Of The Month for July 2014. Over a dozen riders made the trip to Bloomington with Mike. The ride started at the multi-modal Amtrak station and followed the Constitution Trail through Bloomington-Normal, with a short jaunt on country roads. Stops included the farmers market and a local brewpub for lunch. Thanks, Mike, for a neat tour of a great trail system!

**ALMOST ANYTHING AWARD:** The AAA goes to Ryan Homes and Development for installing a trail access point from their Buckley Ridge Estates subdivision to the Sangamon Valley Trail, which runs along the east edge of the property. Clearly they see the value of living near a trail such as the SVT and we commend them for making access for the residents of their subdivision easier.

**RIDE LEADER INCENTIVE DRAWING:** Cindy Kvamme's name was drawn for the Ride Leader Incentive award. She will receive a \$50 gift certificate to the local bicycle shop of her choice. Congratulations, Cindy, thanks for being a ride leader!

Any rider or member can nominate rides or leaders for the above recognition. Please send nominations or ride anecdotes to incentive (at) spfldcycling.org

# President's Column

by Tom Clark, President

Our 42<sup>nd</sup> annual Capital City Century on Sunday, September 7 is shaping up to be an amazing event! Thanks to Century Chair **Harv Koplo**, Food Chair **Jim Elliott**, and everyone who has helped them set the stage for CCC. There's still time to volunteer by contacting CCC Volunteer Coordinator **Cathy Popovitch** at cthomasrun33(at)yahoo.com or (309) 533-3309.

**Baked Goods Dropoff** for the CCC occurs both 5 to 8 p.m. on Friday, September 5 and from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday, September 6, at the home of **Stephen Paca** and **Kristina Mucinskas**, 1120 W. Edwards. If you have dropoff questions, please call Stephen at 766-2604.

This year's CCC starts and ends once again at the *Knights of Columbus @ Iles & Meadowbrook*. The 40-mile loop 1 includes a lunch stop at historic Clayville, near Pleasant Plains. Riders can complete additional loops from there for more mileage, before returning to K of C. The CCC also features shorter options, including a 10-mile Family Ride led by *Jim Percy* and a 25 mile ride that stops at Bunn Farms. As always, we'll offer well-marked roads, SAG support, food stops, and a post-pedalin' party with food and music—all included in the cost of registration. In addition, local artist *Jeff Williams* has designed a great t-shirt for the 2014 CCC.

Many thanks to **Derek & Brigetta Ewing** for staging four great *SBC Cycling Challenge* events in the months lead up to the CCC. The CCC is the 5<sup>th</sup> and final event in the Challenge series. A special 125-mile Double Metric Century option makes this year's CCC the ultimate challenge! In the middle of loop 4, there's an optional, hilly Challenge loop that starts/ends at New Salem. Riders can add it for a Double Metric, or skip it for a relatively flat 100-mile Century.

The Historic Bicycle Ride is always held the day prior to CCC. This year it has a new venue, the Noll Law Office at the Lincoln Depot, 930 E. Monroe. This 8 mile bicycle tour of Lincoln historic sites led by **Naomi Greene** and **Jim Hajek** starts at 1 pm and lasts approximately two hours, with a post-ride cookout courtesy of Noll Law Office. Call 793-9622 for more information.

**The** CCC *Volunteer Appreciation ride* led by **Alan Whitaker** on September 14 counts for Challenge miles. Other September ride leaders include **Ted Sunder** on the 13<sup>th</sup> **Alan Josephson** on the 20<sup>th</sup>, **Marty Celnick** on the 21<sup>st</sup>, **Harv Koplo** on the 27<sup>th</sup>, and **Barry Tobias** on the 28<sup>th</sup>.

In the warm afterglow of the CCC, join us for our *Annual Meeting and Socializer* on September 24 at Brickhouse West. We'll elect the new Board and get your input on our plans for the future at a brief Annual Meeting at 6:30 p.m. The Socializer will follow from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Members and potential members are welcome to attend. Sign in to get a free libation.

The weekend & holiday A-level rides organized by **Lisa Kidd** are a great option for extremely strong and competitive riders with expert bike handling skills. As such, they compliment our (typically) slower-paced, shorter weekend & holiday Club rides.

Hope to see you at CCC!—Tom

### **CCC 2014**

The 42nd annual Capital City Century is coming up on September 7, and it looks to be quite exciting! Aside from last year's new venue at the KC Club, we have several other new "firsts". Our food stop will be at historic Clayville, one mile east of Pleasant Plains. We'll have new mileage loops for riders centered around Pleasant Plains, including a special challenge loop to New Salem that we are adding, so that we can offer our first-ever 125-mile double metric option. The new roads have been thoroughly investigated by our Route Committee. They have worked with County and District Road Commissioners to make sure our CCC 2014 routes are safe and enjoyable.

We have also added new committees to help make this year's CCC run smoothly. The Volunteer Committee, headed up by Cathy Popovitch, has been contacting and soliciting volunteers to ease the burden on committee chairs. The Data Committee has created a web based program for keeping track of and soliciting volunteers, revamped the club website and developed our own registration



system so that we are no longer using the expensive Active.com website of the past.

#### **New Artwork**

Also, we have commissioned bicycle artist Jeff Williams of JeffVeloArt.com to come up with a unique collectible T-Shirt design, Abe at Clayville, which we are offering in regular and wicking versions, and in both men's and women's cuts.

# We Need Your Help

Everything is in place for a stupendous CCC. There is one catch – in order to make it happen, we need your help! Volunteering for the century is a way for you to contribute to the success of the event and to your club. There are ways to ride, and still volunteer!

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Come work with us and experience the joy of putting on a successful event with your fellow club members. If you know someone, even a non-member, who would like to help out, bring them along or encourage them to sign them up as a volunteer.

To volunteer, please contact our Volunteer Coordinator Cathy Popovitch at <a href="mailto:cthomasrun33@yahoo.com">cthomasrun33@yahoo.com</a> or (309) 533-3309. Remember, as a volunteer you will receive a free, incredibly cool, Jeff Williams designed CCC 2014 T-Shirt, as well as a free lunch, and the knowledge that you are helping out a good cause.

So make sure to give Cathy your T-Shirt size when you volunteer!

Also, please consider contributing some baked goods for the food stops. Baked goods need to be dropped off at Stephan Paca and Kristina Mucinskas' house at 1120 W. Edwards, 217-766-2604, just before the CCC, on Friday night (Sept. 5) from 8 to 11 pm, or Saturday morning (Sept. 6) from 8 am to 1 pm.

Thanks. - Harv

### Did you know that CCC also stands for Cookies Cookies?!



Would you be willing to donate baked goods to the CCC? Whether you bake one dozen or a few dozen items, whatever you can contribute is greatly appreciated. The food stops are one of the memorable features of the CCC and being able to offer home baked goods at the stops is one of the many reasons this event is so special. The riders certainly love all the tasty treats that club members provide on event day. Thank you!

#### Drop off location:

1120 W. Edwards St., Springfield

#### **Drop off times:**

Friday September 5th from 5pm-8pm Saturday September 6th from 8am-1pm

Edwards St. is one stoplight north of the intersection of Lawrence Ave & MacArthur Blvd. Head west on Edwards for two blocks, the house is on the south side of the street, past Douglas Ave. Look for the porch with red, white & blue bunting, and a CCCookies sign on the front door. Contact Stephen Paca if you have any questions. 217-766-2604 or stephen.paca@gmail.com

### September 2014 Ride Schedule

For updates, corrections and last minute changes to the ride schedule please check the SBC website at <a href="www.spfldcycling.gorg">www.spfldcycling.gorg</a>. Unless otherwise indicated, <a href="weekday">weekday</a> daytime rides will not take place on holidays. All rides return to the starting point unless otherwise noted.

RIDE CLASSIFICATIONS				
NC	Non-Cycling events.			
MB	Rides suitable for mountain bikes.			
EZ	For riders who prefer a pace under 10 mph. These are purely social rides. Expect short routes either in town or on a trail and expect to ride as a single group. No one will be left alone at the back of the group and assistance is provided for flats and other minor mechanical problems.			
D	For novice or recreational riders. Expect to ride at a pace of 10 – 12 mph with rest stops as needed. Expect the ride leaders or another club member to stay with the slowest rider and to offer assistance for flats and other minor mechanical problems.			
С	For competent riders with basic safety and bike handling skills. These rides combine social riding with improving fitness and riding ability. Expect that most riders will ride in groups at a pace of about 12-15 mph. There may be rest stops on the route, but they will be limited. Riders are comfortable navigating by map if separated from the group and can handle their own mechanical repairs.			
В	For strong, experience riders with considerable group riding experience. Expect the emphasis to be on improving individual stamina and riding skills. Most riders will maintain a pace of 16 – 18 mph and will not feel obligated to wait for slower riders. Pace lines are common. Riders are able to handle their own mechanical repairs and are comfortable navigating by map if separated from the group.			
Α	For extremely strong and competitive riders with expert biking handling skills. Expect riders to be self-sufficient and to maintain speeds of 19+ mph for extended distances using pace lines.			

If you have questions about whether a specific ride is right for you, give the ride leader a call. If you are unsure about your cycling ability, try a ride with a group one class below where you think you might be. You can then move up until you find the level that is right for you.

Please arrive for rides 10 minutes early. Be sure that your bike is in proper working order before you arrive. All riders are strongly encouraged to obey traffic laws, wear a helmet, carry everything necessary to fix a flat tire, and bring hydration. If the ride leader fails to appear, form a group and go on a ride if you like. Then turn in your miles to the club record keeper (records@spfldcycling.org).

Questions about leading a ride? Contact vp@spfldcycling.org

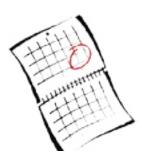
Weekday Daytime Rides		Check start times!				
Monday thru Friday 10:00 a.m.		Show-N-Go ride for retired geezers or wannabes. No leader or map, but Pete shows up often enough for this ride that he can answer questions. Please use ride sheet if riding together. Riders should turn in miles to the club records keeper. *Disclaimer: Geezer riders occasionally change the start time due to weather and other considerations. Please call ahead.				
Monday thru Friday 10:00 a.m. Monday thru Friday 12:20 p.m.	Daily Pana Trail Ride, Lake Taylorville parking lot, Rt 29 Pat Stephens, 287-7056 Vredenburg Park Saxon Dr & Crusaders Rd Tom Clark, 726-5560 Dave Ross 789-4823	Show-N-Go along the Lincoln Heritage Trail. Turn in miles to the records keeper. There is no ride leader, but Pat can answer questions about this ride.  Show-N-Go westside lunch ride that begins on the Wabash Trail. Dave or Tom will be there sometimes to hit the trails or go out in the country. They can answer questions about this ride.				
Weekday Evening Rides		Check start times!				
Monday 5:30 p.m.	East end parking lot, Wabash Trail by Sonic (Wabash & Park) Amy Goldesberry, 714-8762	BCD - Leave from the east end of the Wabash Trail at Sonic. Riders may also start from AMC Parkway Pointe (Lindbergh & Robbins Rd) at 5:15 p.m. This popular ride will get you 16 miles from Sonic or 21 miles from Parkway Pointe.				
Tuesday 5:30 p.m.	Show-N-Go	BCD - Show-N-Go ride on the Lost Bridge Trail for 10-14 miles.				
Wednesday 5:45 p.m.	Linda Butler, 899-7165	BCD - Ride the trail for 12 or add a low traffic county road to the airport for a total of 15.				
Thursday 5:30 p.m.	IDOT Dirksen Pkwy & Ash St Cindy Kvamme, 971-8687	BCD Ride the Lost Bridge Trail for 10-14 miles.				
Mon., Tues., Wed., & Th. 6:00 p.m.		Show-N-Go - Ride on the Lincoln Heritage Trail. Turn in miles to the club records keeper. Call Charlie if you need information about trail conditions or directions.				
Weekend Daytime Rides						
Saturday 4:30 p.m.	Lewis Memoriai Park	MB - Meet at the pavilion and ride the church trails for an hour or so. This ride will be at an easy pace and is suitable for beginner and intermediate riders. Ride is dependent on trail conditions so call Robert for details. If you don't have a mountain bike, Robert can loan you one if your call ahead.				
Saturdays time varies (see Disclaimer)	Vredenburg Park Saxon Dr & Crusaders Rd Lisa Kidd, 341-6181	Weekend A-Ride. Ride is intended for extremely strong and competitive riders with expert bike handling skills. Expect riders to be self-sufficient and to maintain speeds of 19+ mph for extended distances using pace lines. Riders will agree on a destination and determine a route at the time of the ride. Developmental A-riders are welcome, but they should be self-sufficient and familiar with local roads, or accompanied by an experienced rider. er: Schedule sometimes changes due to weather. Please call ahead.				
Sundays time varies (see Disclaimer)	Vredenburg Park Saxon Dr & Crusaders Rd Lisa Kidd, 341-6181	Weekend A-Ride. See Saturday Weekend A-Ride description.*Disclaimer: Schedule sometimes changes due to weather. Please call ahead.				
Sundays	John Nelson, 652-8981 luv2flyjrn@aol.com	Weekend BC-Ride. My first Century Group. Ride is typically multiple loops of 20-30 miles allowing for riders of varying abilities to do distances appropriate to their ability. Many in the group are working towards their first milestone ride. Please contact John before Sunday to get a link to the weekend's routes and to ensure that he does not start a loop without you. No rider is left behind with an experienced rider always in the back. Schedule sometimes changes due to weather. Please call ahead.				

Scheduled Rides and Events		Check start times!		
Monday September 1 9:00 a.m.	Rotary Park lles & Archer Elevator Tom Clark, 726-5560	ABC- Celebrate Labor Day by riding 40-50 miles with Tom to Pleasant Plains. Shorter distances available. It's not laborious if you ride with your friends.		
Wednesday September 3 7:00 p.m.	Residence 2301 Sangamon Ave Ken Anderson, 522-3876	NC - <b>Board Meeting</b> . All SBC members are invited to attend the board meeting.		
Friday September 5 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Residence 1120 W. Edwards St. Stephen Paca, 766-2604	NC- CCC Baked Goods Drop Off. Drop of cookies and other home made goodies at Stephen and Kristina's home for the CCC ride on Sunday.		
Saturday September 6 9:00 a.m.	Vredenburg Park Saxon Dr & Crusaders Rd Show-No-Go	Show-N-Go - Lots going on today so this ride is a show-n-go. This means that you can ride to where ever you want. Turn in your miles to the Club records keeper.		
Saturday September 6, 8:00 a.m 1:00 p.m.	Residence 1120 W. Edwards St. Stephen Paca, 766-2604	NC- CCC Baked Goods Drop Off. Drop off cookies and other home made goodies at Stephen and Kristina's home for the CCC ride on Sunday.		
Saturday	Noll Law Office at the Lincoln Depot 903 E. Monroe St. Naomi Greene, 793-9622 Jim Hajek, 698-7626	EZ - <b>Historical Sites Ride</b> . Naomi and Kevin will lead an 8 mile tour of Springfield historic sites the day before the Capital City Century. The ride will last approximately two hours, with a post-ride cookout courtesy of Noll Law Office.		
Sunday September 7 7:00 a.m.	Knights of Columbus Hall 2200 S Meadowbrook Rd Springfield Harv Koplo, 899-9175	ABCD - <b>42</b> <sup>nd</sup> <b>Annual Capital City Century/SBC Great Bicycle Challenge #5.</b> 25, 40, 62, 80 and 100 mile routes over flat to slightly rolling terrain. Special double metric (125 mile) option. Registration beings at 6:30 am. Includes SAG service, multiple food stops and "post-pedal'n" party free to registered participants. SAG service ends at 4:00 pm; all riders are asked to be off the route by that time. Food service at K of C ends at 5:00 p.m.		
Saturday September 13 9:00 a.m.	Vredenburg Park Saxon Dr & Crusaders Ted Sunder, 698-9194	ABC - Ted is planning to take us down the trail and out into the country somewhere for 30-40 miles This will be a nice warm up for tomorrow's CCC volunteer ride.		
Sunday September 14 9:00 a.m.	Knights of Columbus Hall 2200 S Meadowbrook Rd Springfield Alan Whitaker, 494-6807	ABCD - <b>CCC Volunteer Appreciation Ride.</b> 25, 40, 62, or 100 miles. This ride is an opportunity for volunteers who worked the Capital City Century to try one of the routes. All club members are invited to participate. This ride counts as the SBC Great Bicycle Challenge #5 for CCC volunteers.		
Saturday September 20 9:00 a.m.	Centennial Park main lot. Not the Sangamon Valley Trail lot. Bunker Hill Rd Alan Josephson, 793-0590	ABC - Ride to New Berlin. Stop for breakfast and return for 33 or do a longer loop and ride 43.		
1 '	Rotary Park lles & Archer Elevator Marty Celnick	ABC - Marty plans to go 35-45 miles. Join him and get your Marty miles.		
Wednesday	Brickhouse Grill and Pub	NC – Socializer. Join other SBC members for this great post-CCC social event. <b>Annual Meeting at 6:30 p.m.</b> includes board election, past year accomplishments, and member feedback. <b>Socializer from 7:00-9:00 p.m.</b> Check in and get a free libation. Complimentary soft drinks and appetizers provided.		
Saturday September 27 9:00 a.m.	Capitol Complex Visitors Center 425 S. College Harv Koplo, 899-9175	ABCD - Ride to Jubilee Farm Fall Festival, about 22 miles. Enjoy activities and food. Ride part of the Sangamon Valley trail on the return trip. Check out the following link for more information: http://www.jubileefarm.info.		
1 '	Waldrop Park Sherman, IL Barry Tobias, 217-303-6782	ABC - Barry will take us 39 miles to Athens for today's ride. This is the last September 2014 weekend ride, so make it count.		

#### Other Area Rides

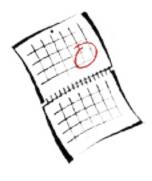
Springfield area bike shops and other entities sponsor or host a number of rides and events each year. When we receive requests to help publicize these activities, we'll post them in this new section of the QR. **NOTE:** 'Other area ride' miles count for club miles, as they are organized rides.

Other Area Rides & Events			
Mondays 5:30 p.m.	Ace Bicycle Shop 2500 S. MacArthur Blvd Rich Moscardelli, 523-0188	<b>Trail and Road Ride.</b> Join Pete and Rich for a casual 30-35 mile ride down the trail and out into the country. All levels of riders are welcome. Riders usually break up into two riding groups, which average 13-15 mph and 17-20 mph.	
Tuesdays 5:30 p.m.	Biketek 957 Clock Tower Dr Jim Elliott, 529-5848	<b>Bike Tek Road Ride</b> . This ride is for C level riders. Jim will lead a ride for about 15 miles at a much easier pace than the AB ride.	
Tuesdays 5:45 p.m.	Biketek 957 Clock Tower Dr Tom Murphy, 787-2907	<b>Bike Tek Salisbury Hills Ride</b> . A and B group leaders assist developmental riders. The route is challenging and hilly. Each group re-forms periodically. The Thursday rides are all show-n-go rides, with no official leader.	
Wednesdays 6:10ish p.m.	Wheelfast 17 Cottonwood Dr Matt Saner, 483-7807	Wheelfast Road Ride. ABC Intermediate training ride. Meet at the bike shop and plan on 16-20 miles. The ride will begin when the shop is closed and locked up for the evening.	
Every other Wednesday Sept. 10 & 24 5:30 p.m.	New City Church parking lot New City Rd Pawnee Steve Schien, 741-8388	New City Time Trials. This is a non-affiliated 10.85-mile time trial on Pawnee New City Road. Most riders are seeking to improve their cycling ability and personal time trial speed. All are welcome to participate. Checkin immediately after arriving. The goal is to send off the first rider at 6:00. Riders are started in 15-second intervals starting with the slower riders first. Bring \$2 for the timer. Ask to be put on the email group to learn of date and time changes.	
Thursdays 5:45 p.m.	Scheels 3801 S. MacArthur Blvd Michael Ritzer, 726-6330	<b>Trail and Road Ride.</b> A chance for fellow bike enthusiasts to get together and share their passion. This ride is intended for all levels of riders. Some riders stay on the trails for 10-12 miles while others add a road ride for 20-30 miles. A designated rider leader stays at the back of each riding group.	
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# **Annual Meeting & Socializer**

Wednesday, September 24 Brickhouse Grill and Pub, 3136 W. Iles 6:30 p.m. Annual Meeting, 7:00 p.m. Socializer



# Save the date!

Roger's 36th Annual Oktoberfest Sunday October 12th 245 Circle Drive Springfield 217-529-0780

# Board Meeting Minutes – August 6, 2014 by Chanell Bradbury, Recording Secretary

<u>Present</u>. Tom Clark, John Nelson, Chanell Bradbury, Ken Anderson, Stephen Paca, Gladys Hajek, Jim Hajek, Bill Donels, Joe Agner, Alan Whitaker, Marty Celnick, Kristina Mucinskas.

The meeting was called to order by Tom Clark at 7:35 p.m.

President's Remarks. Conducted by Tom Clark. Nothing to report.

<u>Vice President's Remarks</u>. Conducted by John N. Reports he will have the ride schedule out on time.

<u>Secretary's Report</u>. Conducted by Alan Whitaker. Nothing to report.

<u>Recording & Membership Secretary's Report.</u> Conducted by Chanell Bradbury. Stephen Paca recorded the minutes at July's meeting, and emailed the minutes to the board in advance of the meeting. The July Board meeting minutes were approved.

<u>Treasurer's Report</u>. Conducted by Jim Hajek. Harv and Jim are to meet separately to discuss paypal options. The Treasurer's Report was submitted via email prior to the meeting. Jim reported that July 2014 had an ending balance of \$16, 937.08. The Treasurer's Report was approved.

Incentive Chair Report. Stephen Paca conducted the Incentive Awards.

The Ride of the Month Award for July was given to Mike Eyman, The Almost Anything Award for July was given to Ryan Holmes & Development, and The Ride Leader Incentive Award for July was given to Cindy Kvamme.

<u>Special Events Report</u>. Conducted by Harv Koplo. Harv introduced the t-shirt design for the upcoming CCC. Wicking t-shirt will be for sale for \$20, and standard t-shirts for \$15. CCC volunteer meeting was held just prior to board meeting went well. Cathy Popovitch to head the volunteer committee. The data committee has created a program to help with the recruiting of volunteers. Rolling Meadows Brewery will be providing beer for the event. Historic ride to take place the day prior to CCC. Will reroute the ride to start/end at depot (more info here please).

<u>Legislative/Education Report.</u> Bill Donels conducted the Legislative and Education Report. Bill reported on items related to the Bicycle Friendly Community initiative. He reports they are very close to wrapping up application for Bicycle Friendly Community. The committee will submit the application prior to August 14th 11:59 P.M. They have 1 more meeting this week. Tom Clark has been representing the bike club at these meetings, as well as Bill Donels. Along with Tom and Bill, Mike Higgins, Kevin Greene and Linda Wheeland are on the committee putting this together and anticipate it being approved. If rejected, it can resubmit in February for re-approval. Bill also reports that the Recognition Boulder has been put into place, and the plaque is to be attached. Bill reported they also need more donations for this project.

<u>Social Chair Report</u>. Gladys Hajek conducted the Social Chair Report. Gladys reported there were 30 attendees at July's socializer/cook out. Gladys has recruited a new social chair to take her place, who will start planning the social events in October 2014

Newsletter Editor Report. Joe Agner reports nothing new to report.

<u>Webmaster Report</u>. Alan Whitaker conducted the Webmaster Report. Will be adding information to the website and email announcements, and is taking information or suggestions to add. Will also be adding updated CCC info to the website.

<u>Old Business</u>. All of the local bike shops would like more newsletters every month.

New Business. No new business.

The meeting adjourned at 8:52 p.m. The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, September 3rd, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Ken and Sandy Anderson. Annual Wednesday, September 24th at Brickhouse West.

# **Springfield Bicycle Club Membership Application**

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726-5560 president(at)spfldcycling.org

**Vice President** 

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Alan Whitaker 494-6807 secretary(at)spfldcycling.org

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Membership Chair

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Jim Hajek 698-7626

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